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Three Clare Luce anecdotes:

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- 1) When the Russian tanks returned to Budapest in 1956 the world was outraged but Clare knew how shortlived that outrage would be. She resolved to publish, and did for each of the following three years, a book covering how Hungarians were faring under Soviet occupation and asked then Under Secretary of State Adolph Berle and Leo Cherne to collaborate.
- 2) When Clare Luce was a young girl of about 60 she decided to take up deep sea diving and became so accomplished at it she did a major magazine article about it.
- 3) Deeply interested in aid to the contras in Nicaragua Clare picked up a pen and wrote Ronald Reagan a letter on that subject from which he quoted extensively in his television address ~~to~~ to the American people a few weeks ago.